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Group 4194  
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Microsoft Docket No. 304950.01  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Group Art Unit: 3685
Rui et al.	:	
Entitled: A SYSTEM AND METHOD	:	Examiner: Worjloh, Jalatee
FOR DEVISING A HUMAN INTER-	:	
ACTIVE PROOF THAT DETERMINES:	:	
WHETHER A REMOTE CLIENT IS A	:	
HUMAN OR A COMPUTER	:	
PROGRAM	:	
Serial No.: 10/664,657	:	
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**AFTER FINAL RESPONSE**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2008, the applicants respond as follows in order to put this application in condition for allowance or in better condition for appeal.